Three Camp Meetings in Active Operation and Doing Great Good.

Preparations for To-Day's Opening Exercises at Washington Grove.

Temperance Day at Jackson Grove-Interesting Addresses Delivered on Intoxicating Liquors.

Yesterday's Exercises at the Shenandoah Valley Assembly at Mount Jackson.

Special Letter. CAMP MEETING, NEAR GAITHERSBURG, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MD., Aug. 8, 1883 .-The twelfth annual camp meeting, under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal church, of the Washington district of the Baltimore conference, commences to-morrow at this place under the supervision of Rev. John F. Deale, presiding elder of this district. The camp gives every indication of being a large one, and every available structure is to be occupied. It is estimated that fully one hundred tents will be up by Sunday. Already seventy have been erected and await their occupants. A large number arrived by the occupants. A large number arrived by all trains yesterday morning, but these were simply the pioneers, who with ready hand and willing hearts came to attend to the drudgery of putting things in order, and the camp ground certainty presented a lively appearance. Several families from Georgetown, who are tenting on the grounds, came here last Friday, and this together with those summering here in cottages, relieves one of the vacancy that used to exist in years by-

A grand improvement has been made in the tabernacle during the past week. The ladies who are accustomed to come here annually, have, by subscription and hard work, had the entire taberpacle floored with a most had the entire tabernacle floored with a good, substantial flooring, and as one lady remarked to your correspondent, as soon as she saw it,
"What a grand place it would be to have a
dance." Then, in addition to flooring, the
settees, which formerly graced Odd Fellows'
hall in Washington, have been purchased,
thus affording a good, comfortable seat for
those attending the services, and there is no doubt that they will be fully appreciated, as there is nothing that will take the religiou out of a person as quickly as to be compelled to sit on a pine board with no support for the back—one minute trying to pray and the next growling at the pain caused by being uncomfortable. A vote of thanks should be tendered the ladies.

when the day before camp everything

dered the ladies.

Already preparations are being made for the crowd that is expected on Sunday. Mr. Noyes of the hotel has had a large diving tent erected adjoining the hotel capable of seating 100 or more, where on Sundays it is proposed to give dinner to all visitors at very low figures. An ice cream saleon and lanch ow figures. An ice cream saloon and lunch saloon is also one of the additions to the hotel which will be appreciated by the young folks and a few of the older ones as well. Everybody is hard at work to make this one of the most interesting meetings ever held on these grounds.

Several of the cottages have a small flower garden in front and trained vines running up and down them, giving them quite a pic-

turesque appearance.
Throughout the city religious exercises have been conducted here regularly each week. A Sunday school, under the superin-tendence of L. P. Altscher, has been organ-ized, and the little ones take great delight

Then on Sunday afternoons there is a social religious meeting, which is well attended while each Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock there is a ladies' meeting, conducted by Mrs. Burris and Mrs. Cohen. The meeting this morning was held in one of the unoccupied cottages on First avenue, and was well at-tended. It was conducted by Mrs. Burris. Tuesday evening the Rev. G. F. Hobbs preached an able and eloquent sermon, which is listened to with great attention by nearly

all living here. Each Wednesday evening there is a meeting at the military camp, conducted by the ladies of the camp, under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance union, These have proven beneficial in the reformation of several, a large number signing the pledge, while not a few have professed conversion. Thus you see meetings even in this locality are not without their results.

In to-morrow's letter a directory of the camp will be given, thus affording information as to the locality where tenters may be

A meat stand is on the grounds, and is presided over by Mr. Burdette, of the county, where fresh meats of all kinds can be pur-chased at less than city prices. Then the store, though not large yet, 'contains everything needed by the housekeeper, and is kept replenished each day with fresh groceries, &c., needed for daily use, while last, though not least, at least to the male population of the camp, there is a comfortable barber shop, where Prof. Butler and his able assistants look after the hair cutting and shaving of all who call on them.
The Rev. J. F. Deale, presiding elder, ar-

rived last evening, with several others. Rev. J. C. Hagey, of North Capitol church, will open the camp by preaching at 7:30 p. m. Rev. S. M. Hartsocke, of Hamlin, will

preach at 10 a. m. Friday.

JACKSON GROVE CAMP.

Special Disputch Jackson Grove Camp, Aug. 8.—The eighth day of the camp dawned beautiful and clear. So far there has not been one rain; day, and the campers seem to be enjoying themselves to the full extent of the oppor-tunity. The disagreeableness of the dust was allayed by a copious sprinkling of water. Rev. Dr. J. T. Murray, president of the Mary-land annual conference, led the regular morning prayers. At 9 o'clock the people assembled for the usual prayer and experience

meeting. Rev. Cyrus Robinson, of this county, conducted it.

"vy. Is. B. Newman, of Centerville, preached the levuing sermon from Ezra, x, 4; "The matter belongeth unto thee; take courage and do it." As previously announced this day has been appointed to the temperance work, and from the above text Rev. Mr. Newnan en-forced the subject of prohibition and local option with a fervor and spirit which showed him to be thoroughly in carnest in this great him to be thoroughly in carnest in this great work. He first mentioned the evils of in-temperance, and then answered the objections which the intemperate raise to all restriction of their traffic. He said the great evil must be voted out, but who are to do it? The fathers, the mothers, the children, by vote, by suasion, and by every means whereby the work may be furthered. In the afternoon another meeting was held, when three speakers addressed the meeting— C. S. Mosher, secretary of the Maryland State C. S. Mosher, secretary of the Maryland State Temperance alliance; Rev. S. B. Tredway, of Alexandria, Va., and Rev. W. M. Strayer, of Chestertown. The whole ground was very nicely compassed by these gentlemen, and no doubt many impressions were made which will be lasting. Prof. C. H. Spurrier and wife interspersed the services with appropriate music. This county has lately come under the local option, law, and many encouraging. the local option law, and many encouraging reports were made as to the working of the

At 3:30 p. m. the new directory of the Jackat 3:35 p. m. the new directory of the 32cc.
son Grove Camp Meeting association must to
elect officers. The following were elected:
W. J. C. Dulany, president; Rev. J. D. Kinzie, vice president; Samuel D. Smith, secretary: Dr. H. F. Zollickoffer, treasurer. Rev.
S. C. Ohrum, of Western Maryland college, led the young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m.
Among the new arrivals are Rev. E. B.
Newman, Fred C. Klein, missionary to Japan; S. Mosner. Rev. H. C. Cushing preached at 7:30 in his

usually impressive manuer.

THE SHENANDOAH ASSEMBLY.

ducted an interesting opening service consist-ing of remarks, reading of scripture and prayer, which were interspered with songs and instrumental music conducted by Prof. Kinsey, of Fort Wayne, Ind., who is in charge of the music department of the assembly. These services were held in the tabernacle, These services were held in the tabernacle, which is a large and comfortable building. After the opening exercises addresses were made by Cok Cowden, of Ohio, Prof. Kinsey, of Indians, President H. A. Thompson, D.D., of Otterbein university, and Prof. W. Zuck, of Lebanon Valley college. Rev. A. P. Funkhouser, president Shenandoah Valley Assembly association, then spoke with regard to the general character of the assembly work, and felt sufficiently encouraged to promise the audience that the very excellent programme announced would be carried out, and that a

audience that the very excellent programme announced would be carried out, and that a continuous feast awaited them.

This morning at 6 o'clock Rev Mr. Funkhouser conducted an interesting prayer meeting in the chapel; and at 8 a. m. Prof. Kinsey organized a vocal class. The normal Sunday school classes—primary, intermediate, and senior—were organized by Col. Cowden and Dr. Landis at 9 o'clock. They will be in charge of Mrs. L. R. Keister, Col. R. Cowden, and Sp. Landis. and Dr. Landis.

and Dr. Laudis.

The following workers arrived this morning: Col. Sowden, President H. A. Thompson, D. D., Prof. J. P. Laudis, D. D., Prof. George A. Funkhouser, D. D., Prof. W. J. Zuck, A. M., Prof. J. F. Kinsey, Revs. C. M. Hott, I. M. Underwood, A. M. Evers, C. I. B. Brane. There are about forty cottages on the grounds, and all of them are accurated. A daily caper, is all of them are occupied. A daily paper is run in the interests of the assembly, called the Assembly Journal, and is expected to have a wide circulation. This is the first meeting of the assembly, and thus far there is every encouragement to believe that it will be a permanent and successful enterprise. The first morning lecture of the assembly was delivered at 11 o'clock to-day by Prof. George A. Funkhouser, D. D., his theme being "The importance of character in teachers," C. I. B. B.

THE CORCORAN RIFLES.

Meeting Last Night-Officers Elected and

Other Business Transacted. A well attended meeting of the Concoran Rifles, the new military company of East Washington, was held at the residence of Mr. Searle, 518 Ninth street southeast, last night, and the following officers were elected: First lieutenant, J. W. Searle; second lieutenant, M. M. Mitchell; president, R. W. Mann; vice president, E. T. Toner; recording secretary, George Tyler; treasurer, J. W. Searle. The recruiting and executive committees were appointed. Ten active members were elected and several applications were received. The company received a message from Capt. Marks that the cause of his not boing present was that his son was very ill. The constitution of the company was adopted. The president called a special meeting for Saturday night

Beastly Bad Gas.

The inferior quality of Washington gas was made unpleasantly evident in many of the stores on Pennsylvania avenue and other streets last night. In a few places the gas streets last night. In a few places the gas went out entirely, and although application was made at the office of the gas company, nothing could be done to better the condition. The flickering light of the street lamp burned unusually low, and was of a dull, watery color. Persons in different parts of the city complained of the same defect.

A Timber Culture Decision.

The acting secreta y of the interior rendered a decision yester day in which he holds that cultivation by hoeing and permitting a growth of grass or weeds around young trees, when it will insure their protection and growth better than the customary cultivation by plawing, &c., is a compliance with the timber culture law. It is also held that prospective inability of a timber culture claimant to prove compliance with the law gives no rights to a contestant.

Decision as to Mineral Lands. Acting Secretary Joslyn yesterday decided that the reception by local officers of a m eral application to patent lands, returned as agricultural, without a hearing, is equivalent to a decision that the land is mineral, and is, therefore, the subject of appeal.

Cuarantine Boat for Cape Charles. The surgeon general of the marine hospital service has been informed that the hospital steamer Woodworth will leave New York this morning for Baltimore as a quarantine boat at Cape Charles.

Design for Stamped Envelopes Approved. Postmaster General Gresham yesterday approved a design for the two cent stamps to be used on "stamped envelopes." The stamp is similar to the two cent stamp recently ap-

EAST WASHINGTON.

A slight fire occurred in house No. 104 C street northeast, occupied by Dr. Carpenter, yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock, which was caused by several children playing with matches in the basement and setting fire to some clothing and rags. No alarm was turned in. Damage slight.

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An unusually large number of ladies attended the marine band concert at the east front of the capitol yesterday afternoon.

Preparations are being made to improve Fifth street southeast, south of Pennsylvania

A street lamp at the corner of Fourth and G streets southeast is broken.

The pump corner of Fifteenth and I streets

southeast is out of repair. Several young men were arrested by Officers Wagner and Dunnington for congregating on the corner of Eleventh and E streets southeast last evening, after having been warned several times.

Clements lodge of Good Templars held a

well attended and very pleasant meeting at Washington hall last night.

ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS. The members of Golden Light lodge of Good Templars at the Tuesday evening meet-ing presented to George W. Hauxhurst a handsome gold headed cane as a token of handsome gold headed cane as a token of their appreciation of his active efforts in the temperance work in this city. The presentation was made by A. W. Armstrong in an appropriate speech. He was followed by B. W. Walls, H. M. Fultz, and others, who made suitable remarks. This was an entire surprise to Mr. Hauxhurst, who is about to leave this city and take his home in Richmond, Va. Mr. Hauxhurst for the past three years has been an earnest and hard worker in years has been an earnest and hard worker in the temperance cause in this city, and he is also G. W. S. of the Grand lodge G. P. of the

state. He will be greatly missed by the temperance orders of this city.

To-day is the last day allowed sellers of liquor to pursue the traffic without a license. Coal vessels are again very scarce and freight rates in consequence are advancing; \$1.50 to Boston and \$1.45 to Providence are

offered.

The contract for carpenter's work on the improvements of St. Mary's church here has awarded to T. N. Scott, whose bid was

Farmers hereabouts claim that corn is suffering for the want of rain.

Capt. Dean is building a small schooner near the Baltimore and Ohio ferry slip. She

will be a twenty toner.

The boat railway at Agnew's ship yard will be put in use to-day, having been thoroughly repaired and ronewed. The schooner Emma Aroy, of New York, is waiting to be hauled up, also the large dredge boat H, which has

een engaged doing government work on the ower Potomac. At the grain market flour is steady and firm, with a fair local demand. Receipts of wheat are increasing, and the quality of the offerings yesterday were much better than usual. The market is active and higher for choice grades; 12,000 bushels were sold at 111a112 for good Fultz; 108a111 for fair; 113 for mixed; Hisalt4 for good Longberry; strictly choice would bring a higher figure; common and tough samples, while a little stronger in sympathy with the better feeling are still undesirable, and are not so readily sold at full figures. Corn was somewhat firmer to-day; 1300 brabels of white bruncht 5758. There

THE IRON AND STEEL WORKERS.

Liberal Appropriation For the Bethlehem Strikers-President Jarrett's Probable Successor-Questions to be Considered Herenfter.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 8 .- The Amalgamated Iron and Steel Workers' convention resumed its deliberations this morning. The entire session was occupied with a number of important resolutions. One of these limited the time of speech making. President Jarrett announced his appointments on the standing committees for the year, of which the follow ing were made chairmen :

Committee on resolutions, John J. Morgan, Pittsburg; ways and means, Michael Grogan, of Wheeling; auditing, M. V. B. Saladee, Sharpsburg, Pa.; grievances, John E. Cunningham, Pittsburg; claims, John D. Carey, Pittsburg; appeals, M. J. Donaghy, Braddock, Pa.; constitution and general laws, T. J. Milligan, Ironton, Ohio; good of the order, James H. Nutt, Youngstown, Ohio; secret work, P. F. Keeny, Pittsburg; mileage, William Weighe, Pittsburg.

Mr. Jarrett says his reason for declining a re-election is not owing to ill health, but strictly on account of private interests.

At the afternoon session a petition was presented by Andrew Lee, of Philadelphia, asking the delegates to extend their support to a meeting at horticultural hall next Sunday in the interest of striking telegraph operators. Committee on resolutions, John J. Morgan,

the interest of striking telegraph operators. It is proposed to have a large gathering of the working people and John Jarrett and other leading men in the Amalgamated association

have been called upon to deliver speeches.

The convention ignored a proposition to exert its influence in securing permission to hold social gatherings on Sundays in Fairmount park.

Andrew Lee, vice president of the eighth district, who was one of the labor delegates to the tariff convention last year, is promi-nently spoken of among the delegates as Pres-

ident Jarrett's successor. He has the back-ing of all the delegates in the eastern end of the state and he is widely popular among all

classes of working people.

A proposition was brought up this afternoon by J. W. Jellison of Armstrong county, Pa., to extend the funds to the support of the strikers in the Bethlohem from works to \$50,-000—\$25,000 was sent last night to the 140 who are on a strike at Bethlehem. A motion was made to draw on the surplus fund of \$375,000 for any amount that is needed to sustain the Bethlehem strike, which is regarded the most important one in the country. Andrew Lee, of Philadelphia, contended that \$50,000 was too large a sum and moved that \$50,000 was too large a sum and moved. Pa., to extend the funds to the support of the try. Andrew Lee, of Philadelphia, contended that \$50,000 was too large a sum, and moved to shave it down to \$45,000. Jellison's original motion to make the order \$50,000 was sustained. It was agreed to send the Bethlehem men \$100,000 if necessary. The associa-tion boasts of a fund on hand of \$1,000,000 to support any strikers in the country. The proposition to identify the Amalgamated asso-ciation with the Federation of Trades in the

Secretary Martin and President Jarrett refused to give any information in regard to the busines formally presented to the con-vention this morning, but from another source the more important of the suggestions were obtained.

United States was laid over for the present.

It will be discussed at the latter end of the

One of the mana topics which will receive the consideration of the convention will be the strike laws of the association, which may be amended or materially modified. Several lodges urge that members to whom the asso-ciation owes strike benefits shall relinquish their claims. If this be done the association will stand absolutely clear from debt. The question whether the secretary of the un-tional lodge shall or shall not be allowed to aid worthy members in distress from the curaid worthy members in distress from the current fund will also be considered. There is
difference of opinion as to whether the association shall publish a monthly journal of its
owns or continue the National Labor Tribnae
as its official organ.

Among the resolutions reported by the delegates of an Alleghamy county lodge are that
the prices on all mills running three turns
shall be raised 10 per cent, above the refular

shall be raised 10 per cent, above the regular scale price, and that if the association should become involved in a general strike no strike benefits be allowed.

benefits be allowed.

Another lodge suggests that it be considered a grievance sufficient to shut down the mili within twelve hours, if metal requiring more than one and a half hour's work in a puddling or boiling furnace be not charged after notifying the boss.

Another suggestion is that the laws of the association be so changed that the national lodge officers be elected for terms of four years, and that the scale to be presented

years, and that the scale to be presented June, 1884, be for four years instead of one: that subledges take care of their own mem bers during strikes, and that the president of the national lodge be directed to appoint a committee of members from the first district to meet at intervals to discuss the situation; considering whether the present rate of wages can be sustained, or whether the condition of business is such as to warrant an increase or demand a reduction. Another resolution is eight heats shall constitute a day's work, and that not more than ten gross tons of common sizes be turned out each day, nine tons of half-inch rounds, seven tons of three-eighth rounds, and eight tons of seven-sixteenth rounds, and all other sizes to correspond with

Other resolutions recommend that the nailers be required to teach 3 per cent, per annum of nail feeders in the factory in which they work. The feeders must be members of amalgated association in good standing. and at least 21 years of ago, and a committee of the nailers will select them; and that the meetings of the sublodges be opened and closed with religious ceremonies. One of the most important of the sugges-

tions is imbodied in a resolution that the mills shall lay idle during the months of July and August of each year. This is supported by several of the lodges upon the ground that it will prevent the over supply of the iron market, and consequent reduction of wages. The withdrawal of the iron workers of the association from the steel workers is strongly recommended. The other resolutions relate mainly to the

government of the society. Numerous by laws are proposed and some important changes advocated. Among these are sugchanges advocated. Among these are suggestions that any lodge suffering because of its adherence to the association shall be aided by voluntary subscriptions from the other lodges; the date for signing the nailers' scale after 1884 be changed from June 1 to March 1 of each year, and when the funds of the general association fall below \$5,000 the president shall have power to levy an assosspresident shall have power to levy an assess-ment of from ten to twenty-five cents upon each until the fund reaches \$7,000; that lodges with mixed membership shall send a delegate from each department to the convention on alternate years, and that should charges be preferred against the president of the national lodge, the vice president of the first district shall appoint seven lodges, each which shall by written ballot elect one legate, the seven delegates to investigate the charges, with power to expel, suspend, or reprimand the president should be be found guilty. An assessment of \$2 per head upon every member of the association to be levied on Sept. 1 is also advocated.

The consideration of these resolutions will not begin until to-morrow.

Base Ball.

A game of base ball was played yesterday afternoon between the Young America and Anacostia nines, resulting in a victory for the Young Americas by a score of five to three. The Independents of East Washington were defeated by the Alexandria nine by a score of seven to six at Alexandria yesterday after-

The Boilermakers will play the Equipment nine on the old Earle grounds on Friday af-ternoon, and the Sailors on Saturday.

The Operatic association and Postoflice nines will play a game of base ball at Ath-letic park to-day at 4:30 p. m. for the benefit of the striking telegraphers.

Another Bloodless Duck

The Alexandria Gazette publishes the acount of a duel fought near Leesburg at sunrise yesterday morning between Drs. Mc-Gill, of that town, and West, of Goresville, in which, however, neither was struck. There had been bad feeling between the two for

fire, which was harmless, a reconciliation was effected, and the doctors, who are first cousins, again became friends.

WIRE CUT TERS AT WORK. Another Raid on the Western Union

Lines in New York-Practical Failure of the Railway Operators' Strike, New York, Aug. 8.—Last night another conslaught was made upon the wires of the Western Union Telegraph company, the consequences of which were far more disastrous than that of the preceding night. Press Agent Somerville, of the Western Union com-pany, said this morning that twenty wires were cut on one route and fourteeen on another, between Passaic and Elizabethporf, N. J. These were wires to Philadelphia and other points in the southern division. Twenty of the Mutual Union wires were cut between King's bridge and Scarsdale. At Tarrytown twelve Hudson River wires are down, and ighteen wires in the eastern circuits were eighteen wires in the eastern circuits were destroyed between Port Chester and Green-wich, Conn. The cross arms were sawed off in the latter instance, and the wires cut beside. The first wires to go down were those on the eastern cir-cuit, which were lost about 11:30 o'clock last night. The others went down shortly after midnight. A large force of linemen was sent out to repair the damage, and the lines are being repaired as rapidly as possible. The cutting of the wires interfered with others across which they fell, so that the greatothers across which they left, so that the great-est confusion was created. For a long time this morning, said Mr. Somerville, the work was greatly delayed. Supt. Humestone es-timated that when work was begun this morn-ing one-half the wires to Philadelphia, onequarter of those to the west, and one-third of the eastern circuits could not be used. The whole number of wires cut was 89, but nearly 200 were rendered useless in consequence. A telegram from Fort Washington said that a gang of men had interfered with the line-

a gang of men had interfered with the line-men who were repairing the wires thore, and police protection had been asked in case the interference was repeated.

No clew has yet been discovered of the authors of the mischief, although the greatest vigilance is being exercised. The Western Union company has employed detectives to ferret out the perpetrators of the wire cut-ting. It is the general opinion that the striking linemen are answerable for the injues. The company is considerably put out y this new method of warfare. At the headquarters of the Brotherhood of

Telegraphers it was emphatically denied that the cutting was being done by the striking

linemen.
CINCINNATI, OHIO, Aug. 8.—Assistant Superintendent Kinsman, of the Wabash telegraph lines, says that of the 990 operators on the 3,600 miles of that road, just eight—four at Decatur and four at Chicago—have obeyed the order of the brotherhood and gone out. Their places have been filled, and everything is working smoothly. The members of the brotherhood here, on the other hand, say that brotherhood here, on the other hand, say that seven of the eight operators at Decatur struck on Monday, and that of the 175 operators on the Iron Mountain railway, between here and Texarkana, 137 belong to the brocherhood, and can be relied on to strike. They also say that of the forty-two railway operators in East St. Louis thirty-six are brotherhood men, and will go out. There is no indication of this at present, however.

and will go out. There is no indication of this at present, however. St. Louis, Aug. 5.—No further withdrawal from the Iron Mountain railway is reported. Six wires on the Wabash railway were out about ten miles north of this city on Monday night. The wires were clearly cut with nip-pers, and the poles show marks of steel pronged climbers used by linemen.

St. Paul, MINN., Aug. 8.—The telegraph office at Bismarck was mobbed just night by strikers. The strikers consisted of twenty five men, who entered the office and compelled the new man to quit work. They then took him and put him to bed in a hotel. Manager or moved the office to the Tribuse build-No further trouble is reported.

A Triple Murder.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.-The statement of the convict at Joliet, who confessed to a double murder at Atlanta, Ill., is supposed to refer to a triple murder near Atlanta, an outline of which is as follows: On Sunday, Aug. 20 of last year, the odor of decaying flesh attracted the attention of persons who were passing a clump of trees. On examining the sput they found three dreadfully mutilated and decaying human bodies, which proved to be those of Charles McMahon, a bachelor farmer, who had lived near by, and of two nired hands, Frank Matheny and John Car-lock, both from southern Illinois. Their threats were cut from ear to ear, gags were in their mouths, and their legs were tied with twine. It is believed that all three were surprised while asleep, overpowered, gagged, and bound and marched to the spot where their bodies were found, and there butchered. Every circumstance showed a carefully planned scheme had been carried out. Large rewards were offered for the guilty parties, and several arrests were made, but no one was held.

Fixing the Rate on Flour.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Aug. 8 .- A number of Minneapolls millers, including Charles A. Pillsbury, J. A. Christian, W. H. Dunwaddy, and L. Christian, yesterday met representatives of all northwestern railways to readjust grain rates so as to meet the rates to the via Duluth. They claim that the difference is at present so great that they must either get lower transit rates or close down their mills. No decision was reached, but another meeting will occur to-day.

Father Riordan Approved.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., Aug. S .- The Chronicle says interviews with the Catholic priests of this city show that the latter unanimously favor the appointment of Rev. Mr. Riordan as coadjutor of Bishop Alemany. They regard him as an energetic financier. It is known here that two of the oldest bishops on this coast are opposed to Mr. Riordan's appointment and the priests here hope that their influence will not prevail at Rome.

The Photographers

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Aug. 8 .- The photographers' fourth annual convention opened here yesterday and was addressed by President Beebee at the exposition building. In the afternoon a visit was made to the soldiers' home. Nearly 1,000 delegates are present. A Schooner Probably Lost.

CHICAGO, Aug. S .- Portions of a wreck cast ishore near Grand Haven, Mich., lead to surmises that the schooner Nellie and Annie has been lost. She was engaged in the lumber trade and had a crew of five persons.

A Handsome Estate. SPRINGFIELD, MASS., Aug. 8 .- An inventory filed at the probate office on the estate of the late Chester W. Chapin gives the val-uation of the personal property at \$1,956,000

and of the real estate \$171,800. Distinguished Foreigners. SANFRANCISCO, Aug. 8 .- Sir Harry Parkes, governor of New South Wales, and Mr. Archibald Forbes, the well known correspondent of the London press, arrived here yesterday from Australia.

Return of the Riflemen. NEW YORK, Aug. 8.-The American rifle team arrived from Europe this morning. They are enthusiastic over the treatment they received from the riflemen on the other

Don't Believe He Has Been Insulted. NEW ORLEANS, LA., Aug. 8,-The report that the British minister to Guatemala had en insulted by the president of that republic

is not credited here. ARMY AND NAVY NEWS. Lieut. Comdr. Thomas M. Gardner has reorted his return home, having been detached from the command of the store ship Onward at Caliao, Peru, July 10, and has been placed on walting orders. Lieut. William J. Moore on walting orders. Lieut. William J. Moore has been detached from the receiving ship St. Louis, and ordered toordnance instruction at the navy yard, Washington, D. C. Assistant Naval Constructor George F. Mallett, fro the navy yard, Norfolk, and ordered to du Special Letter.

Mr. Jackson, Va., Aug. 8.—The regular working programme of the assembly was taken up year-trainy evening at 7:30, at which time Rev. C. M. Hott, of Boonsboro, con-

A CONFEDERATE REUNION.

No Excuses to Make and Much to Remember and be Proud of-Butler Not Forgiven.

GALVESTON, TEX., Aug. 8.-A dispatch to the News from McKinney, Texas, says : The managers of the confederate rennion were in despair yesterday morning on account of a heavy rain, which continued to fall for two and a half hours, covering the ground with the thickest of mud, and rendering locomotion nearly impossible. After the weather cleared and the exercises had commenced, however, there were fully 40,000 persons present, 15,000 of whom were served by the organization with dinner on the grounds. The speakers were Gen. Cabell, ex-Gov. Throckmorton, Gov. Ireland, Gen. M. Lewis, ex-Gov. Hubbard, Col. Bowen, and Congress-man Wellborn. The tenor of Gov. Iroland's speech, which was a fair sample of most of the others, was that the confederates had no ex-cuse to make for the part taken by them in the late contest. He said: "We are to forget the political strife which led to the war, but must teach our children of the deeds of those who were the blue and the gray. We are all Americans, and ever ready to battle with our Americans, and ever ready to battle with our country's assailants from whatever quarter." General Lewis said he would never admit that the "bloody chasm" had been bridged over. He was glad that Butler had not been invited. Butler was not a democrat. The name of Jefferson Davis, Gon. Lewis said, was the grandest in American history. The speaker would never make peace with Butler. He might be an unreconcessed. ican history. The speaker would never make peace with Butler. He might be an unrecon-structed rebel, but, if called upon to defend national honor or rights, he would respond."

A Mountain Guide Drowned.

TROY, N. Y., Aug. S .- Joseph L. Newell, the well known Adirondack mountain guide, was drowned yesterday near Paul Smith's, in the Adirondacks, by the upsetting of a boat, It is supposed he was attacked with heart disease. He had been guiding A. c. Doug-lass, of New York, who fell into the poud when the boat upset, but swam ashore.

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